



THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re the Application of: **AKIYAMA, Tomoyuki**

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Serial No.: **10/716,662**

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Commissioner for Patents
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Date: September 19, 2007

Sir:

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